

Northland District Health Board

Electing 7 Members



Babe KAPA

Independent

My principal place of residence is in the Northland District Health Board area. I am also standing for Kaikohe-Hokianga Ward.

Born, raised and educated in Kaikohe. Product of the people and land of this area.

I've four tamariki, three have partners, children and reside in Northland.

My experience extends; Stationmaster Railway Kaikohe, pioneering BOT member Green Park school Tauranga, qualified primary trained teacher, Principal, Special Education Facilitator/MOE Advisor, HOD Tikanga & Reo Māori TV and currently Team Leader Attendance Services for Ngāpuhi Iwi Social Services Te Taitokerau.

Board member Rangihāmama/Omāpere Land Trust. Treasurer Waimate/Taumāreke Mihinare pariha and currently Trustee Te Kotahitanga marae.

Managed age group rugby from Under 16 to Northland NPC.

Coached age group waka ama from Under 14 to Golden Masters NZ Representatives.

This broad life experience has provided me with the necessary tools to articulate and debate support or change from a Māori lens. I draw on my parents and those who have gone before me for inspiration and look to my mokopuna for innovation.

Conflict of Interest Statement

To the best of my knowledge and belief, I have no conflicts of interest with the Northland District Health Board at the date of my notice of consent to being nominated as a candidate for membership for the board of the District Health Board, and I do not believe that any such conflicts of interest are likely to arise in the future.